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TAKE NOTICE THAT ALL PERSONS INdebted to this estate are hereby required to pay the amounts due forthwith, and all persons who may have any claims against the said estate are required to send the same on or before the 20th day of February, A. D. 1888, to the Very Rev'd J. J. Jonckau, the executor,

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WANTED.—A steady man as coachman and gardener. Apply between 8 and 9 a. m., to Mr. R. E. JACKSON, Richardson Street. fi3tf.

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WANTED.—In a respectable family, board for a gentleman and 10 year old daughter. Address, with terms, Box 422, Post office. fe3 1w

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NOTICE.

IF JOHN POWIS, Late of Company E. 11, Illinois Volunteers, U. S. A., supposed to be a resident of Victoria, will call at the U. S. CONSULATE, he will receive papers of importance to him.

February 7, 1888. fe8 1w tfw

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$100 Reward

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By order of the Mayor.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.
City Hall, 18th January, 1888. ja19


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## TIMES CABLEGRAMS.

**Wallace Ross Defeats Beaubear in a Sculling Match on the Thames To-Day.**

**Ex-Mayor Sullivan Receives an Ovation in London--Orders from the War Office.**

ROSS DEFEATS BEAUBEAR.

LONDON, Feb. 13—Wallace Ross, of St. John, N. B., outrowed by two lengths George Beaubear on the Thames course to-day, for the championship of England and $1000 aside. The sculling match between Ross and Beaubear on the Thames from Putney to Mortlake which was won by Ross by two lengths was a splendid race. The closeness of the contest caused the greatest of excitement. The banks on both sides of the river were crowded with thousands of spectators.

A PRECAUTIONARY STEP.

LONDON, Feb. 13—The British war office has received an order directing that a statement be prepared at each military centre detailing the facilities for summoning the reserves and strengthening the battalions from the depots within 48 hours, in the event of mobilization of the army becoming necessary. The order is a precautionary step to enable the new mobilization scheme to work well if it should be necessary to put in force.

TO-DAY'S LONDON GOSSIP.

LONDON, Feb 13—Ten thousand people were at Eastern Square station to-day to welcome ex-Mayor Sullivan.

William O'Brien, when he arrives, will be tendered a reception by representative English Liberals and Radicals.

The weather is very fine.

Gladstone's speech has made an excellent impression at St. Petersburg, where great confidence in his policy is felt. His return to power is considered a guarantee of peace.

The *Standard* this morning says: "It would be well for all Europe to be convinced that it is the policy of Lord Salisbury to support the alliance of Germany, Austria and Italy so long as it maintains peace, and should peace be disturbed by any power foreign to that alliance, to throw all the influence of England against the aggressor.

SIR WILFRED BLUNT'S TRIAL.

DUBLIN, Feb. 13—The trial of Sir Wilfred Blunt was resumed to-day. A majority of the members of the jury are Nationalists and it is expected they will disagree.

$25,000 DAMAGES.

DUBLIN, Feb. 11—The trial in the action of Wilfred Blunt, recently convicted of a violation of the Crimes Act, against the police for $25,000 damages for illegal arrest, commenced to-day.

BAIL REFUSED.

Pyne, arrested in London yesterday, was brought to Ireland to-day and lodged in Waterford jail, where he will remain until the covening of the Kilmaisthomas sessions. Bail was refused for him.

BICYCLE RACE.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Rowe, the bicyclist, is being matched against Howell for one thousand dollars to ride one or ten miles.

AVALANCHES.

VIENNA, Feb. 11—One of the avalanches which has just occurred in the line of the Arlberg railway has buried at Tangen station a mail train. One thousand men are at work attempting to rescue the passengers. Two large avalanches have blocked the tunnel on the line and it will be a week before it is again opened, despite the efforts of a large number of workmen who are engaged removing the snow.

### ON THE WING.

Mr. C. D. Rand is in the city to-day.

Mr. C. B. Sword of Riverside is in the city.

Mr. James F. Farron returned on the Newbern to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bullen returned from the mainland on Sunday.

Hon. Justice McCreight was a passenger by the Louise last night.

Mr. Wm. Carkson, of New Westminster, is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. J. B. Graves was amongst the arrivals from the mainland last night.

Ex-Mayor Townsend of New Westminster arrived last night and is at the Clarence.

Mr. P. S. Rainer, secretary of the Kamloops Fire Brigade, arrived in this city last night.

Mr. C. E. Pauline, manager for the H. B. Co. at Priests Valley and D. McIsaac, Nicola, are at the Oriental.

Mrs. Mary Howitt, the poetess and novelist, who was born in the early part of the present century, is dead.

Miss McLeod, Doctor of Magnetism, has returned and will be pleased to see all who have called during her absence. Consultation free. Parlor 8, Clarence Hotel.

Mr. Bole, Q. C., has withdrawn from the business of his branch office at Kamloops, which will hereafter be carried on by Mr. Cochrane, solicitor of the High Court of Justice, Ontario. Mr. Cochrane is a genial gentleman, well versed in the law, and will be found not unworthy of the confidence of the business community.

### Eastern Canada News.

Millman, the murderer of Miss Tuplin near Summerside, P. E. I., has been sentenced to hang on April 10.

At the Winnipeg Board of Trade meeting yesterday it was decided to make an appeal to the people of Eastern Canada in reference to the grain blockade in this country, and on behalf of relief from the monopoly.

Mrs. Saunders, whose husband was recently killed by falling ice in this city, died this morning through premature confinement brought on by grief. The child also died.

Mr. Chas. B. Edie, ex-M. P. for Springfield, Manitoba, is dead. Much sympathy is felt for the family of the deceased.

—The fire at Esquimalt yesterday morning should make the people of Esquimalt petition the government to place a few hydrants on the main street and furnish a quantity of hose.

—The people of the Junction, near New Westminster, are petitioning for the establishment of a post office at that place. The nearest post office is Port Moody, which is five miles distant.

### The Election.

The result of to-day's election is as follows:

Penwell, 196 votes; Robertson, 177. Majority for Penwell 19.

### A Peculiar Case.

In Winnipeg the other day a woman walked into a butcher shop and laid an infant before a young man who was working in the place alleging that he was the father of it and expressing her determination to make him provide for it. Some kindly hearted people took the child and relieved the man of his care. The woman is under arrest, and it is expected an amicable settlement will be arrived at between the parties concerned.

### Daily Mail Service for Nanaimo.

The Nanaimo *Free Press* states that Messrs. D. W. Gordon and D. Chisholm, M. P.'s, will press on the government the necessity for a daily mail between Vancouver and the black diamond capital. It is also reported that the gentlemen named will urge on the government the granting of a subsidy in order to obtain a fast and seaworthy boat service. Mr. G. Thompson in the Assembly will also move in the matter by moving an address to the Dominion Government urging the necessity of a daily mail between Nanaimo and Vancouver.


### Who is Your Best Friend?

Your stomach of course. Why? Because if it is out of order you are one of the most miserable creatures living. Give it a fair, honorable chance and see if it is not the best friend you have in the end. Don't smoke in the morning. Don't drink in the morning. If you must smoke and drink wait until your stomach is through with breakfast. You can drink more and smoke more in the evening and it will tell on you less. If your food ferments and does not digest right,—if you are troubled with Heartburn, Dizziness of the head, coming up of the food after eating, Biliousness, Indigestion, or any other trouble of the stomach, you had best use Green's August Fower, as no person can use it without immediate relief.


### A Lien Law.

Mr. J. M. Duval, of Vancouver, returned from Portland. He was deputized by a few of the leading workingmen of Vancouver to proceed to Portland to enquire into the operation of the lien law in force in Oregon, and to procure a copy thereof with a view to having a similar measure passed by our Legislature during the present session. Mr. Duval's mission, we believe, has been successful, and it is more than probable that he will pass several weeks in Victoria "lobbying" in the interest of the bill. Mr. Duck's efforts in the same direction, it will be remembered, were ridiculed and defeated by the lawyers in the house, headed by the acting Attorney General, and we would caution the present promoter to beware of the snag that wrecked Mr. Duck's bill.

### Arrested for Smuggling.

Erwin A. Gardner and Ephriam Gardner were arrested at Ogdensburgh, N. Y. on a charge of smuggling $25,000 worth of opium into the United States. The men were driving along in a wagon in which the opium was concealed at the time of their arrest. Mr. Gardner is well known in this city and was one of the few persons most favorably with the Port Townsend Custom House. When he left Seattle he stated that smuggling was carried on over the Canadian Pacific road and he could make money detecting it. The opinion prevails on the Sound that Gardner took that method to get ahead of a large Chinese firm in Victoria. He induced them to ship the opium, and on its arrival posted the officers, and will come in for one-third interest in the proceeds of the sale. His friends telegraphed for full particulars.

### The Great Opium Seizure.

A Brockville dispatch of the 8th inst. gives the following particulars respecting the recent opium seizure: Last night United States Special Officers J. C. Houghton and J. D. Perry captured twenty-five thousand dollars worth of opium at Redwood, N. Y., a short distance above this place, on the other side of the river. The opium was brought from China via Vancouver, thence by the Canadian Pacific to this place. It appears large quantities of this article have been smuggled across from this neighborhood to the States by ferries in summer and sleighs in winter which were met by wagons or sleighs on the American side and then shipped to New York as butter, eggs, etc. While the officers have been watching for these operations, large quantities of other contraband have been intercepted.

### Colliery Warning.

That certain atmospheric conditions are favorable to mining explosions seems to be a recognized fact in other mining countries. The following is from the Edinburgh *Scotsman* of Jan. 10th: "The atmospheric fluctuations which prevailed during last week have now disappeared, and a very extensive system of high barometer readings has spread over the whole of Europe, the highest pressure being over France, with a tendency to move northward to the British Isles. The mercury has not been so high for nearly three months. As the existing conditions are peculiarly favorable to disastrous mining explosions, it is hoped all grades of underground workmen will be particular in noticing any evidence of danger from gas and coal dust, and especially in the vicinity of shot firing operations."

### Gone to His Rest.

After a lingering and painful illness of nearly three years, Mr. William A. Clyde passed quietly to his long sleep yesterday at 1 o'clock, surrounded by his parents, brothers and sisters. He was one of the founders of Victoria Typographical Union No. 201, and served it for many years prior to his sickness in its most important and responsible offices. He was a true friend of organized labor, and his voice and money were always freely given towards the amelioration of want in any form and the elevation and ennoblement of honest toil. The funeral will take place at 12.30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from his father's residence, Rock Bay, under the auspices of the society which he helped to form and of which he was such a worthy member.

### St. Andrews Church.

At the close of the service in the above church yesterday, the Rev. Donald Fraser, M. A., stated that he expected the Rev. P. McF. McLeod, would occupy the pulpit that day four weeks. The Presbytery of Columbia was to meet on Wednesday, the 7th of March, at 11 a. m. It was the intention to induct Mr. McLeod into the pastorate of the congregation that evening.

## AMERICAN NEWS.

**Wholesale Poisoning in Boston --Destructive Fire in St. Paul Loss about $300,000.**

**San Francisco Federated Trades Invite Eastern Workmen to the Golden State.**

A ST. PAUL BLAZE.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 13—The blocks occupied by Foote, Schulez & Company, wholesale boots and shoes, and the Ryan Drug Company were burned this morning. Loss fully $300,000.

A BROKER SUICIDES.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Feb. 13—Henry Knickerbocker, jr., of 830, Fifth Avenue, 25 years old, well-known in New York as a broker, suicided with a revolver this morning at the Marden Hotel. Cause unknown.

BUCKET SHOPS RAIDED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11—The authorities to-day raided the bucket shops.

GUN ACCIDENT.

PHOENIX, Arizona, Feb. 11—Will Asher and Bob McDonald, each 16 years of age, were preparing for a hunt yesterday. McDonald, in loading his gun, handled it in a careless manner, and it was discharged, shooting Asher, mortally wounding him.

WILL RETIRE FROM THE STAGE.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 11—Mrs. P. D. Powers, the actress, will retire from the stage this week. Her last appearance will be at the Grand Opera House to-night. Mrs. Bowers made her debut at the Park Theatre in New York, in 1846.

WHOLESALE POISONER.

BOSTON, Feb. 11—The jury in the case of Mrs. Sarah J. Robinson, alleged wholesale poisoner, this morning rendered a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree. In this trial she was charged with the murder of Prince Arthur Freeman, her nephew. Mrs. Robinson previously had been tried on a charge of killing her son and daughter, but the jury disagreed. The incentive to all these crimes with which she is charged is alleged to be in securing life insurance on her victims.

MRS. FOLSOM SAILS FOR ENGLAND.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11—Among the cabin passengers on the steamer City of Chicago which sailed this morning for Liverpool, was Mrs. Folsom, mother of Mrs. Cleveland, who came on from Washington yesterday and saw her mother off.

ACTION DENOUNCED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 11—The council of Federated Trades, which concluded its meeting at nearly 3 o'clock this morning, denounced the action of the State Board of Trade for adopting the report at their recent meeting of inviting eastern workmen to flock to California. The council was of the opinion that there were enough unemployed men in the State to supply all wants.

ARRIVED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 11—Arrived, steamer State of California from Portland.

NEW POSTMASTERS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11—J. R. Flint has been appointed postmaster at Harrington, Lincoln Co., W. T., in place of C. W. Law who has resigned.

M'CORD'S TRIAL POSTPONED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 11—The third trial of Jas. McCord, who was indicted for embracery with Millionaire Morgan, was to have commenced to-day, but was put over until next Friday.

SIX DAYS WALKING MATCH.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11—3 p. m—Score Albert 591; Herty 563; Guerrero 548; Hart Hart 526; Golden 516; Moore 510; Strokel 503; Noremac 500; Dillon 494; Sullivan 367, Taylor 339; Tilly 302; Stout 199.

## CANADIAN NEWS.

THE FISHERIES COMMISSION.

OTTAWA, Feb. 13—Members of the Cabinet state this morning that the Fishery Commission will rise at Washington this week and that Sir Charles Tupper will return to Ottawa on Thursday. It is understood the result of the Commission's labors will be made known simultaneously in Congress and in the Dominion Parliament, which meets on the 23rd instant.

GETTING RICHER.

MADOC, Ont., Feb. 13—Reports from the Richardson gold mine are that it is still richer as the shaft is getting down.

A NEW VICAR-GENERAL.

KINGSTON, Feb. 13—Rev. Father Browne of Port Hope, has had the dignity of Vicar-General of the Diocese of Peterboro' conferred on him in honor of the 25th anniversary of his priesthood.

*OUR INDIAN AGENT.*

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—I wish to call the attention of our Ottawa members to the way in which our Indian agents are discharging their duty. Not one of them have been seen in this part of the district for over twelve months. We are sure that it would be greatly to the benefit of the Indians if they were to see after their wants now in a practical manner. The people here think that it would be well if our members would enquire into the matter. They are well paid and should in all fairness take some interest in the welfare of the Indians at this time of the year especially. Our Indians generally are peaceable and quiet; and they deserve to be properly looked after. ANON.

Lillooet, Feb. 8, 1888.

### Premature.

The announcement in THE TIMES of Saturday of the marriage of Miss Maggie Smith, step-daughter of Sir Donald A. Smith, was somewhat premature. The arrangements for the wedding were complete, but the lady was attacked with an illness, which was considered to be of so serious a nature that the ceremony has been indefinitely postponed.

### Cargo of Anthracite Coal.

The little brigantine Champion, 130 tons register, Capt. J. E. Minerve, arrived in port a few days ago from Quebec with a cargo of anthracite coal from Pennsylvania mines. The voyage around occupied 190 days. It was originally intended to convert the Champion into a schooner and use her for sealing but for the present she will be kept in the present rig and used for the coasting trade. In a few days she will leave for Chemainus to load lumber for Guyamas. The cargo of coal is consigned to Messrs. Troupe & Co.

### From San Francisco.

The steamship Newbern arrived from San Francisco at 1:45 p. m. to-day after experiencing a very rough passage. She brings 117 tons of freight for this city, 92 tons for Port Townsend, 392 tons for Seattle and 100 tons for Tacoma.

### The Water at the Public Schools.

Water, water every where and never a drop to drink! THE TIMES has been informed that the public schools have been without a drop of water since the holidays. The pipes are out of order and the Trustees have no funds to put them in proper condition. It is to be hoped the defects in the pipes will be remedied at once.

### A. F. and A. M.

On Wednesday evening, 8th inst., W. Bro. S. Clarke, assisted by Very Wor. Bro. Canon Cooper, Wor. Bro. F. L. Newman and Wor. Bro. A. McGregor, installed the officers of Kamloops Lodge No. 10, A. F. and A. M, as follows:—Bro J Ogden Graham, W M; Bro H C M Ridley, S W; Bro S J Tunstall, J W; Bro A McGregor, Sec; Bro F H Robson, Treas; Very Wor Bro Canon Cooper, Chap; Bro Thos Roadley, S D; Bro R H Lee, J D; Bros W J Roper and Geo P Rixteen, Stewards; Bro W P Trounce, D of C; Bro A J Venn, I G; Bro J G Burgeyet, Tyler.

### Marine.

Steamer Umatilla sailed for San Francisco direct from Seattle.

The steamship Southern California will complete her cargo of Wellington coal to-day.

Bark Spartan, loaded with lumber for Tien Sein, was towed to Cape Flattery by the tug Pilot yesterday morning. The bark returned to Esquimalt last night.

The revenue cutter Oliver Wolcott arrived in the harbor yesterday morning and sailed during the afternoon. A boat's crew pulled around the harbor, taking notice of every craft in the bay.

Mr. Van Tassle, chief engineer of the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company, and Mr. Peterson are the engineers who will go to Portland to bring the steamer Alaskan around. The steamer will not go on the route till March 1st.

### The Legislature.

The House was engaged until 4 p. m. in discussing questions of privilege, etc. Hon. T. B. Humphreys called attention, in a calm and forcible speech, to a more than usually virulent article which appeared in the *Colonist* recently, and he the unparliamentary language of the members of the government during the late debate. Mr. Speaker Pooley, who has thus far borne out his reputation for impartiality, decided that the motion of the member for Comox, charging the President of the Council with treasonable utterances and calling for an investigation, could not be continued from day to day without the permission of the House, and Mr. Dunsmuir having requested that a day be set for the consideration of the motion, Mr. Humphreys named Friday next. The objection of the Finance Minister to the first motion for papers does not look well, and the readiness with which private members—like the gentlemen from Cowichan and Kootenay—back up and approve the refusals of the government, looks even worse. The galleries were crowded during the afternoon.

### Connolly-Carbray.

The Quebec *Chronicle* supplies the following particulars of the marriage in the ancient capital a few days since of Mr. N. K. Connolly, of the well known contracting firm of Messrs. Larkin, Connolly & Co., with Miss Bridget Carbray, sister-in-law of Mr. F. Carbray, of that city: "The bride was attended by Mr. Felix Carbray and the groom by his brother, Mr. M. Connolly. The sacred edifice was beautifully decorated. Mr. Hebert, organist of St. John's church, presided at the organ. After the celebration of the Mass the happy party proceeded to the residence of the brother-in-law of the bride, where a sumptuous repast was partaken of. Mr. and Mrs. Connolly left by the 1.30 p. m. train for Washington and the South via New York. A large concourse of friends assembled at the depot to see the happy couple off. As the train moved out the bride and groom appeared on the platform and were met with a fusilade of rice, etc. In presenting their congratulations the friends of the newly married couple extend their wish that choicest blessings in the future may be showered upon Mr. and Mrs. Connolly."

## CAPT. IRVING.

**Reaches Winnipeg on Sunday--Finds the C. P. R. to be Excellent.**

WINNIPEG, Feb. 12—Special to THE TIMES—Arrived here on time from Vancouver. Road in excellent condition all the way through. JNO. IRVING.

The gallant captain is on his way to Glasgow, where he will superintend the construction of the new steamer to be built for the C. P. N. Co., by Messrs. Napier, Shanks & Bell, a member of which firm visited Victoria last fall, remaining here for several weeks. It is the intention of the builders of the new steamer that she will eclipse any vessel afloat on the Pacific coast. She will be 240 feet long, 42 feet beam and 14 feet deep, her capacity being 1,500 tons burthen. Her speed will be 22 miles an hour, enabling her to cover to distance between Victoria and Vancouver in a little over three hours. The machinery will embrace a twin screw with triple extension engines. The cost will be in the neighborhood of $250,000 to $300,000. She will be placed on the route some time next fall.

—Advices from the Columbia river all point to $1.25 as the rate for fish to be exacted from the salmon packers by the Fishermen's Union the coming season.

There is evidently something wrong in our form of government, or else in the methods of administering it. The P. E. Island people, as is well known, do not bow the knee to the gods at Ottawa, and as a result of exercising what they supposed was their privilege, viz., to think and vote as they pleased, they are subjected to most shameful and wanton treatment by the government. The Charlottetown Patriot says: The Ottawa ministers caused a rebellion in the Northwest by their neglect, and it looks as if they might raise another here by their insulting treatment of the whole Province, which pays more than its fair proportion of Dominion taxes." Sir John should either give Postmaster General McLelan the "grand bounce" or compel him to treat P. E. Islanders and her 130,000 people with decency and fair play.

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## UTILIZING FIRE DAMP.

Fire-damp is the most dreaded enemy miners have to contend with. It is interesting to observe that men of genius, who have long and patiently struggled to reduce the forces of this explosive to be man's agent and his servant, are meeting with satisfactory results. This is now being successfully worked out in the Wurm coal mines near Aix-la-Chappelle, Germany, which mines are regarded as extremely dangerous as in consequence of the amount of fire-damp produced in them, rendering it necessary to exercise the most minute precaution to prevent danger. Mr. HILT Director of mines, caried on the experiments, which we outline. He constructed a line of piping that ran in front of all the centres of work and ended in a main pipe connected at the surface with a powerful suction-pump. But it was not enough to get rid of the noxious gas, it was necessary to utilize it; and so Mr. HILT conceived the ingenious idea of causing the conduit to end in a gasometer. Upon isolating the latter, and placing wire gauzes here and there in the conduit, he was enabled to lead the gas to the furnace of two generators and use it to help to heat them. We are obtaining, said the director, 30,500 cubic feet of fire damp, which distil 263 cubic feet of water. On uniting the fire damp of all our exploitations we shall be able to distill 5260 cubic feet of water per twenty-four hours. The utilization of fire-damp thus stored may become advantageous from a commercial point of view. It may serve not only for gas motors, but also, with well constructed burners, for lighting purposes.

## U. S. NAVAL STATIONS

The Seattle Post-Intelligencer is excessive in its joy over the fact that should Senator Dolph's resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to inquire into the expediency of locating a naval station on the North Pacific coast, demonstrated the fact that, if such a station is located, it will not be many miles from Seattle. The Senators throughout the discussion referred to Lake Washington as the place designed by nature for such a station, and there was no definite mention of any other location. Although the resolution was general in its terms, it was evident that the Senators who discussed it had in mind Lake Washington, and Lake Washington alone. It is probable that the resolution will pass, for but little opposition to it was manifested. The passage of the resolution will not mean, however, that a navy yard is to spring into existence on Puget Sound at once. Our government, says the Post-Intellingencer, is proverbially shown in such matters, and under the most favorable circumstances it will be several years before the preliminary work is completed. There is one thing certain, however, and that is that the naval station, if located at all, will be located at Lake Washington. Every engineer who has investigated the matter has concluded that Lake Washington is the place best fitted to become the rendezvous of the American fleet in the North Pacific. The advantages of Seattle for the location of such a station at Lake Washington cannot be overestimated. The people of that city should therefore feel deeply interested in the passage of Senator DOLPH's resolution, which, if it did nothing else, would at least result in advertising anew the fact that the advantages offered by Lake Washington must be utilized if the United States is to maintain its ascendancy in the waters of the North Pacific.

## THE AUSTRO-GERMAN TREATY

Opinions vary as to the probable outcome of the alliance recently formed between Germany and Austria. Many believe the treaty to be a pacific movement, whilst others think the first note of the bill ringing up the war certain. The text of the treaty, which has been published and cabled to this continent makes it clear that Austria and Germany bind themselves to help each other with their entire military force against an attack upon either by Russia. If either should be attacked by France the other is to maintain a strict neutrality, unless France should be aided by Russia, in which case both are to carry on operations against the two enemies. It is understood that Italy has joined the combination on equal terms with the original contracting powers. This "League of Peace" might have deserved the name as long as its existence was merely hinted at, while Russia and France were not compelled to take official notice of it. In 1875 a certain measure, proposed in the French Chambers, was abandoned because of an inspired editorial in a London paper intimating that its passage would cause a German invasion. But if, instead of this indirect warning, BISMARCK had chosen to give France an official threat, the response would have been an instant declaration of war. In the present case Germany, Austria and Italy have declared in the most formal and public manner that they consider Russia and France to be probable enemies. The imputation is not even veiled in decorous generalities. The treaty does not speak of an attack by any great power, but specifically of one by Russia and one by France. This treaty was made some time ago. What is the object of its publication now? It appears to be one of two things. Either Bismarck is ready to fight and desires to give his hot-headed adversaries an affront that will provoke them to begin the war or he believes that every ordinary chance of preserving peace is exhausted and that a threat which cannot make matters worse, and may possible have a sobering effect, is the only resource left. How will Russia and France take the slap? That is the question upon which the immediate future depends, and, in spite of Bismarck's predictions that war will not come for some years it would not surprise those who are watching the course of events in Europe were war to break out inside of a few months. So far Great Britain has managed to keep herself clear of and aloof from all these international entanglements.

ONE of the conditions of the new parcel post convention between Canada and the United States, which will be put into operation March 1st, is that no sealed packages will be forwarded, either by the Canadian or American authorities. Packages should be prepared in such a way as to permit customs officers making their examination without any difficulty.

In the Ontario Assembly it appears the public are not admitted to the galleries till after prayers. A motion was brought forward the other day by Mr. Graham to admit reporters during prayers, but it was ruled out of order on account of the absence of the seconder. When the reporters are not allowed to pray it is about time to cry out about muzzling the press.

The political complexion of the Quebec Legislative Council is being rapidly transformed from Toryism to Liberalism. During the last year a dozen seats formerly held by Tories have been handed over to Liberals pledged to the abolition of the moribund institution. Hon. Mr. LAVELLEE is said to have sent in his resignation and it will probably be followed by that of the Hon. Mr. STARNES. It is not long since Mr. MERCIER declared that he would abolish the Council, and it is plain that he made no idle threat.

THE contest for the Commons in Halton, Ont., which took place on the 7th inst., resulted in the election of Mr. Henderson, Conservative, over Mr. Lead, Liberal, by a majority close upon 100. At last general election Waldie, Liberal, was elected by a majority of 7 over the now successful candidate. Halton has always been regarded as a close constituency, changing its representatives every few years, as well as its political complexion. In the late contest the Scott Act played an important part, for the feeling on the liquor question runs very high. A vote will be taken on the repeal of the act on the 1st of March.

It is understood that General Sir Frederick Middleton, in his annual report, which will be issued shortly, suggests the advisability of the militia spending a longer period in camp for drill. The commander-in-chief will also recommend a slight increase in the permanent force. While he devotes attention to the poor weapon with which the force is armed, he urges the need of paying more attention to rifle shooting by corps as a whole. Another recommendation is that there should be increased accommodation for the cadets at the Military College.

Our Dominion ministers have resolved to purchase in the United States the presses required for the new printing bureau. What a bad example! While preaching the doctrine that it is disloyal to purchase anything from the Americans, especially when retaliation is threatened by the Washington government, they go to New York for machinery with which to do the government printing. Surely the men who boast of "drawing their inspiration from British institutions" might have sent to England for their printing presses.

An Ottawa dispatch says that the statement that the owners of the British sealing vessels, seized in 1887 in Behring Straits, and now at Sitka, had given bonds for the release of the vessels pending an appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States, is incorrect. The American authorities, it appears, demanded bonds on their own valuation of the vessels, and would not accept any but Americans as securities. This would compel the owners to deposit the cash, a step they were willing to take, until they learned that the matter was before the Commissioners at Washington, when the idea was abandoned. The necessary cash deposit would have reached $75,000

The Empire has been busily engaged in denouncing the Quebec conference as "a conspiracy against the Dominion ministry" and has commended the government of this province for declining to send a representative to it. In view of the clause in the Governor's speech, which invites the Assembly to consider "whether the experience of a quarter of a century has not revealed defects in the Dominion constitution," the Ottawa Free Press points out that the eulogising of British Columbia had commenced too soon. It is taken for granted that such questions as the veto power, Senate reform, financial relations between the Dominion and the provinces will be dealt with by the Assembly.

# THE SPALLUMCHEEN.

### Notes of an Adventurous Trip Along the Spallumcheen River---Timber Growth.

### Spicy, Readable Letter---Companions by the Way--Shuswap and Okanagan Railway.

(From our own Correspondent.)

"SPLICING THE MAIN BRACE."

KAMLOOPS, Feb. 3.—In the preceding chapter of this voracious narrative, it is stated that the captain, wanting to lighten ship by "splicing the main brace" discovered that that instrument had been tampered with, and made useless for the purpose intended by his passengers, the journalists. It is hardly necessary to say that the effect of this intelligence was to arouse the captain's choler. His eyes glowed with a luminosity which imparted to his spectacles the quality of incandescence. But after all what was he going to do about it? Throw the meddlesome scribblers overboard. No! Great as were the powers vested in him this entailed a stretch of prerogative not justified by nautical precedents, and suppose they should succeed in swimming ashore, and reach Spallumcheen before the steamer? This was a contingency so fraught with probability that, however homicidal the captain's intentions may have been, he immediately dismissed them, and giving his leggings a convulsive hitch, disappeared in the engine room. The engineer reported the injector to be working serenely; that the leak had not gained appreciably, and recommended that the steamer be headed for the mouth of the river, where, if she must sink it would be all a sand bar. Accordingly the steamers course was changed to correspond with the engineer's suggestion, and in an hour later had safely passed the bar, and was securely tied up to the river's bank. To secure to the "mainbrace" incident the reader will remember that the captain was wroth, and at the same time impotent to mend matters. The delinquents were newspaper men, and to a certain extent privileged, and besides, he dreaded journalistic animadversion. He was afraid some of the Victoria papers, or even the *Sentinel*, would come out in a long philippic on the repressive tendences of sea-faring men. These considerations in connection with the dangerous position of the steamer had induced the captain to proceed with great circumspection so far as outward appearance went. Internally, however, he was raging, and the crew, to a certain extent, partook of the feeling. Hence the effect of the "mainbrace" *contre temps* was to destroy the *entente cordial*, hitherto existing. This was made more manifest later, for unquestionably the crew that night would have shared, probably, their blankets with the journalists (parenthetically I must remark that there was no sleeping accomodation on board for passengers). But the relations now were too badly strained to admit of any spices of fraternizing, and the journalistic triumverate appreciating the situation, lost no time in going ashore in search of lodgings.

THE SPALLUMCHEEN RIVER

at this point flows with singular placidity, scarcely a ripple corrugating its broad surface. Silent flowing, shallow and pellucid it invites contemplation as being the antithesis of most mountain streams. Primeval forest skirts either bank of trees so tall as to render the sky visible only through an hiatus of timber, and which gave to the stars the appearance of rising over one tree top, and on the opposite side of the stream to descend behind another. But impressed, as we were, with the Celestial phenomena afforded by our surroundings, the main consideration was shelter, and to this end we gave our undivided attention. There was no house in sight, and as we wended our way through underbrush and over logs, our sensations may be best described by the quotations which fell from our lips. One of the quartette blurted out with (Roy Neil's fate probably in mind) "Oh, 'twas a fearful hour when we left sweet Sicamouse Bay." Another responded with "Oh, solitude, where are thy charms;" while the last of the trio, sighed "for a cot in a vast wilderness." How much longer the tired and disgusted journalists would have continued to give vent to suggestive quotations had not a cabin just then appeared to view, must be left to the readers' imagination. Our host proved not only hospitable but genial. Though a comparatively young man he had had several years experience on this coast, possessing all the self-reliance of the westerner without the insufferable assurance which is a distinguishing characteristic of the easterner. Ranged about the cabin, in various attitudes and dressed in costumes peculiar to the frontier, were half a dozen young men, who, like our host, had adopted farming for a livelihood. We found them all intelligent, well posted on current events, and, as might be expected, unqualifiedly in favor of the

SHUSWAP AND OKANAGAN RAILWAY.

The political oracle of the little congregation, or rather the individual who was inclined to discuss politics from an abstruser point than its mere relation to railways was an Alsatian Frenchman. This gentleman having once sniffed the air of liberty politics to root, had flourished like a grown bay tree. To him we applied the apellation of Anarchist. He scarcely deserved this cognomen, for he was a believer in law and order, but political rings, railway rings, etc., were to his mind incompatable with the true interests of the public, and subversive to republican institutions. The failure of the Dominion Government to subsidize the S. & O. R. sat heavily on his soul; and, rightly or wrongly, he attributes the government's non-compliance to the opposition of persons who conceived their interests in jeopardy, or who were too inconsequential to give the project standing. The wagon road from Sicamuse to Enderby he declared to be unavailable for the purpose intended, inasmuch as close competition did not admit of teaming rates either on flour, wheat or vegetables. The road he regarded as a species of political sop thrown out to assuage discontent, and to keep alive, if such a thing was possible, the impression that the political incarnation in whose hands the destinies of the province were now reposing, had not lost sight of the fact that an outlet to Spallumcheen was a prime necessity. His animadversions on British Columbia statesmen were quite directing, and from the approving nods of his brother rancher evidenced more recruits for the opposition. At this stage of the proceedings the journalistic flask, on being held to the light, showed transparent, an empty oblong sphere. This was unfortunate indeed, for how were we to obtain further inspiration for an all night's political debate. A look of profound chagrin took possession of the Anarchist's face, while

The expressions of the journalists seemed to say, "Is there no balm in Gilead?" The prospect of a dry and cheerless night was, indeed, imminent. Had sleep been possible the situation would have been bereft of its terrors. Sleep, however, was out of the question. There was only one single bunk in the cabin, and how were we all to sleep in it? But relief came from a quarter, least ex-

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# A Common Cold

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Some time ago I took a slight Cold, which, being neglected, grew worse, and settled on my Lungs. I had a hacking cough, and was very weak. Those who knew me best considered my life to be in great danger. I continued to suffer until I commenced using Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Less than one bottle of this valuable medicine cured me, and I feel that I owe the preservation of my life to its curative powers.—Mrs. Ann Lockwood, Akron, New York.

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MUNICIPAL.

# MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, that I require the presence of the said Electors at the City Hall, on

**FRIDAY, the 10th Instant**

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

for the purpose of electing a person to represent them in the Municipal Council as Councillor for Johnson Street Ward.

The mode of nomination shall be as follows:

The Candidate shall be nominated in writing; shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the returning officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p. m. of the day of nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on Monday, February 13th, 1888, at the Tiger Engine House, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Victoria, the second day of February, 1888.

W. K. BULL,
Returning Officer.
fe2td

## MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO Wednesday, the 15th inst, at 4 o'clock, p. m.

For Naming the Streets and Numbering the Houses.

Specifications can be seen daily at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
City Hall, 3rd Feb., 1888. City Clerk.
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## MUNICIPAL.

*The Mayor will be in attendance at the City Hall daily, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock in the forenoon, so as to meet any person who may wish to consult him on Municipal matters.*

By order JAMES D. ROBINSON,
City Hall, 3rd Feb., 1888. City Clerk.
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## To the Ratepayers of Johnson Street Ward.

GENTLEMEN:

Having been requested by a large number of Ratepayers, I hereby announce myself a Candidate for Councillor for Johnson Street Ward.

fe5td C. T. PENWILL.

## JOHNSON STREET WARD.

**To the Electors of Johnson Street Ward:**

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—I offer myself as a candidate for the vacancy in Johnson street Ward, created by the resignation of Mr. B. W. Pearse, and solicit your votes and influence.

fe2 JOHN ROBERTSON.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that we intend applying to the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tract of land, situate in Rupert District, Vancouver Island, and described as follows:—

Commencing at the Southeast corner of the Indian Reserve at Thomas Point; thence South 120 chains; thence East 80 chains; thence South 240 chains; thence East 240 chains; thence North 160 chains, more or less, to the shore of Queen Charlotte Sound; thence following the shore line in a Northwesterly direction, to the point of commencement; containing 5,120 acres, more or less.

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J. STUART YATES,
JAMES F. FELL,
J. ROLAND HETT,
TOM KAINS,
JOHN GRANT,
MORRIS MOSS.

Victoria, B. C., 26th Jan., 1888. fe1dw2m

## NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE, that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioners of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situated on Valdes Island, described as follows:

Commencing at a point about ¼ miles S. W. from south end of Drew's Harbor; thence running W. half a mile; thence S. half a mile; thence N. half a mile to point of commencement. fe3 M. C. IRELAND.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE, that at the expiration of two months from date, I will make application for the purchase of the land described as follows:—

Commencing at the Northeast corner of the property of S. L. Galbraith, Hot Spring Creek, Kootenay District; thence North forty chains; thence West forty chains; thence South forty chains; thence East forty chains to the place of beginning, comprising (160) one hundred and sixty acres of pastoral land.

GEO. GEARY.
Fairmont P. O., B. C., Jan. 16, 1888. fe1dw2m

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NOTICES.

## NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of WILLIAM BACHELOR, commonly known as FREDERICK REYNOLDS, deceased.

ALL PERSONS indebted to this Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith, and all persons who have any claims against the said Estate are required to send the same, on or before the 31st day of January, 1888, to

MESSRS. DAVIE & POOLEY,
Solicitors for
Messrs. John D. Bryant and William McKeon,
Executors.
Dated Victoria, 30th November, 1887. nov30

## NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Legislature, of the Province of British Columbia, the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company will apply for leave to introduce and pass a bill enabling them to construct a branch line from a point on their railway between Esquimalt and Goldstream, to a point on the north shore of the Straits of Fuca, between Pedder Bay and Otter Point.

Dated at Victoria, the 29th day of November, A. D., 1887. CHARLES WILSON,
nov 29-td Solicitor for the applicants.

## NOTICE.

KING TYE CO. beg to inform the public that they have secured the services of L. MONGKOW from October 17th, 1887, to act with LEONG KEE as Interpreter on behalf of the said firm. KING TYE CO.
Victoria, B. C. Oct. 21, 1887. oct21

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

**Lot No. 112 in the City of Victoria.**

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to the above mentioned lot will be issued to William A. Elliott on the 9th day of March, 1888, unless in the meantime a valid objection be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lot or some part thereof.

CHAS. J. LEGGATT.
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 8th December, 1887. dec9 td

## "Land Registry Ordinance 1870."

**LOT NO. 1120 VICTORIA CITY.**

WHEREAS the Certificate of Title of Margaret Gunoode, formerly of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, to the above mentioned Lot bearing date the 24th day of September, 1884, has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

CHARLES JAS. LEGGATT.
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria, 28th Dec. 1887.

## Notice of Private Bills.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a Company for the construction and operation of a line of railway commencing at a point at or near Michel Creek, Crow's Nest Pass, Kootenay District, thence by Elk River to the Kootenay River, thence by way of Cranbrook, and the Moorie Pass and Goat River to the lower Kootenay River, in the Province of British Columbia.

EBERTS & TAYLOR,
Solicitors for Applicants.
Dated 6th December, 1887,
Victoria, B. C. dec17 td

## NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of J. C. Jones & Co., Brickmakers, James Island, has this day made an assignment of all its goods and effects in trust for the benefit of its several creditors to J. C. Devlin, Victoria, to whom all claims against the said firm must be presented on or before the 20th day of February, 1888.

Victoria, Dec. 19, 1888. dec19 2m

## NOTICE

APPLICATION will be made at the opening session of the Legislative Assembly for an Act to incorporate J. C. Ainsworth, George J. Ainsworth and John S. Baker, under the name of "The Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Transportation Company," for the purpose of running a line of steamers from a point on Kootenay River at or near the place where the southern boundary line of British Columbia intersects the said river, down the said river and through the said Kootenay Lake to its outlet, and for constructing and operating a line of railway from Kootenay Lake to the Columbia River, and for operating a line of steamers up the Columbia to the head of navigation.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
jan 4d-w Solicitors for Applicants.


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# COWICHAN LAKE.

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This property affords an excellent opportunity to any person desirous of purchasing a site for an hotel, for residence, or for farming purposes. Plan, particulars and conditions of sale can be seen at the office of J. P. WALLS, Solicitor, Langley street, Victoria, and will be produced at time of sale.

nov14 td W. R. CLARKE, Auctioneer.

POSTPONED.

SALE OF LAND POSTPONED in "Renfrew District" until farther notice.
Victoria, B. C., November 19, 1887. nov19tf

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pocted. Our rancher host, with the thrift peculiar to his kind, had "cached" sometime previously a bottle of Dunnville, and this he speedily resurrected. Shall I attempt to depict the countenances of his guests? Would it be possible, I ask myself, to paint in words the revulsion of feeling which was portrayed on every countenance; I am forced to confess to the lingual incapacity of so doing. It was a scene which I must leave to the imagination; in fact I doubt if any pen, however, fruitful of expression could do the occassion justice. Glancing in review over what has been written, I am sensible of introducing a topic of dubious propriety, and devoid of any very edifying features. I refer to the bibulosity of the journalists. I have questioned myself the propriety of too literally describing our journeyings. I recognize that certain people have no relish for experiences which savor of the distillery, and it is not improbable that among bacchanals themselves continued iteration of drinking bouts are liable to pale. Nevertheless it seems to me that such descriptions are not without value as throwing light upon the customs of the country, and as most of the alcoholic incidents herein depicted were exemplified under circumstances which would have provoked a responsive chord in the heart of an anchorite, the offence against taste may be condoned if not wholly excused without wishing to digress, so far as to introduce a disquisition, on the drinking habit, I cannot forbear what I regard as pertinent remarks. If more alcohol is consumed than formerly, it is not because individual consumption has increased, but because of increase of population. It is in vain for temperance advocates to pile up statistics relating to

THE CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOL,

and to discant upon the amount of crime consequent thereto. Such arguments avail nothing with people of discrimination. So long as men fancy that they can, at any time, draw the line, and so long as men actually do draw the line, and hold that anything harmless may by abuse become an unmired evil. They will neither listen nor submit to the solicitations of a class who hold that virtue consists in the practice of austerities. It is not fashionable to defend tippling. I am not defending it. I simply speak of it as a man who has abandoned all hope of absolute temperance reform, and who, for the want of something better, would substitute the doctrine of moderation. I would establish societies which, while advocating abstinence as something pre-eminently desirable, and in fact an evidence of the highest type of self command, would grant certain tippling privileges. Institutions of this kind would invite the co-operation of the rigid and the lax, and the association of mutual diversities would invest their proceedings with greater *eclat* than is common to most temperance organizations. If individual experience may be taken as a criterion the attendance at average temperance organizations is perfunctory, the proceeding are sombre, humor is hackneyed, there is "neither feast of the reason, nor flow of the soul." All is cold, formal, and intensely respectable. This is all very well. Old people countenance it and young people endure it, for the sake of a flirtation with the girls, but there is a constant tendency to "slop over," and every "fall from grace" is, in the eyes of the world, additional evidence of inimitable law of conviviality. I can quite understand the difficulties in the way the middle course here advocated. I can conceive of back slidings, and even scandal; but would the situation be any worse than at present, and would it not, besides, obviate the necessity of hypocricy? However the question of temperance, like many another affecting moral and physical regeneration, is not susceptible of being looked at in the same light by everybody. Caprice, prejudice, passion and appetite still dominate over reason, and probably always will; and consequently measures tending to their total suppression must infallibly prove futile. Hence we must infer that it is nonsense to set the standard of perfection too high. Clear lumber is not obtainable from a knotty log, and to expect character without blemish from an organization inherently defective is absurd, and indicative, moreover, of a strange misconception of human nature. With the arrival of morn we took leave of

OUR AGRICULTURAL FRIENDS,

and resumed our journey towards Spallumcheen; four miles from Enderby, the steamer stopped for wood, and being impatient of delay we abandoned her, covering the remainder of the distance on foot. The first person whom he met on entering Enderby was Mr. Thos. Lambley, the stock man, and for the most part, owner of the town. Mr. Lambley is the ascetic of Spallumcheen, is a bachelor, and is distinguished for his undeviating adherence to truth. It is but justice to Mr. Lambley to say that in adopting veracity as the distinguishing quality of his moral composition, he was not urged by extraneous consideration. He took no man for a model. Washington and his little hatchet never influenced him in the least, nor yet did he regard the terrible fate of Annania's and his wife to be a warning against mendacity. Mr. Lambley's veracity originated in himself also, and from the firm conviction that truthful statements constantly practiced not only would earn him the confidence of his neighbors but would entitle him to a place in society at once unique and edifying. I have described Mr. Lambley as the ascetic of Spallumcheen. This is a strong term. I shall have to qualify it a little. From the very nature of his situation, the Baron of Enderby, as it were, he meets a great many people from English tourists to cowboys, and certain relaxations are inevitable. On festive occasions, when the boys meet at his office there to discuss current events, they throw off whatever superfluous humor may have accumulated during the day, Mr. Lambley unbinds and treats the assemblage to monologue reminiscent and otherwise. Whenever, by chance, memory recalls to him his early experiences in Spallumcheen the energy and variety of his diction commands attention, and is only equalled by the strangeness of his adventures, a strangeness which to parties unacquainted with his partiality to truth has a Munchausen flavor. It is greatly to be regretted that I cannot relate his language verbatim. The vigor of his language, the gorgeousness of his coloring, the singular felicity of his comparisons, with an ability to draw parallels which would drive Plutarch to despair are inimitable to a degree that precludes reproduction. I can only venture to describe in my feeble way how in the early days of his pilgrimage he first assayed the role of a bullwhacker.

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**Removal.**

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**Leap Year Proposal.**

Anticipating the results of the year, Anderson & Nastio, Fort street, will help the boys out by giving a special reduction in all kinds of Furniture during this month.

A SEASIDE FLIRTATION.

With sorrow in her eyes of blue,
With trembling hands she slowly penned it—
The little parting billet doux
That conscience told her now should end it.
Those tete-a-tetes along the shore,
Those gypsyings with fern filled basket,
Must join the dear delights of yore
And only live in memory's casket.

There never was a heart like Jack's:
He told his passion in his glances.
She sealed her note with scented wax,
But could not drown her dismal fancies.
When he should read his suit denied,
So long the theme of idle gazers,
She pictured him a suicide,
And shuddered at the thought of razors!

At last she slept—but not till dawn
Had blossomed through the ocean vapors
Jack conned her missive with a yawn
When he had the morning papers.
He gave his beard a languid twirl
And murmured as he sat a smoking:
"Tear stained—by Jove—poor little girl!
I thought she knew that I was joking!"
—Samuel Minturn Peck in Century.

## TOM HEMPER'S ESCAPE.

The wonderful providence that saved old Tom Hemper from the vengeance of the Comanche Indians fifteen or sixteen years ago has been discussed in many a western fort and around many a hunter's camp fire. That his adventures were true in every particular can be vouched for by a dozen living persons today, though old Tom himself was wiped out a dozen years ago. He was a scout, hunter and guide, and he took a party of amateur hunters and sportsmen from Santa Fe down the Canadian river into Texas and the land of the Comanches. The party numbered twenty-two men, some of them being English tourists, and they were undisturbed for two weeks after getting down to what is called the great elbow of the Canadian. Then Indian signs became very fresh, and one morning old Tom started out on a scout. Two other old hunters with the party remained in camp.

The Canadian runs alongside of a mountain range for several hundred miles, and this range is broken with many small valleys and creeks. Tom went to the east as he left camp, keeping between the foot hills and the river. He was on foot and alert, but after a walk of an hour he discovered no signs, and had to conclude that the Indians had approached from the other direction. Just as he was on the point of turning back he found a spring of ice cold water, and had to lie down on his stomach to reach it and satisfy his thirst. He was drinking when something alighted on his back. His first thought was that it was a panther, but next instant he saw the leggings of a red skin and knew that he was a prisoner. When pulled to his feet he found himself in the presence of three Comanches, who were out after game. His great surprise seemed to please them immensely, but they offered him no violence whatever. He was first disarmed, his hands then tied behind his back, and the Indians gave him to understand that he was to accompany them to their village. While there was no Indian war at that time, the savages were hostile to any and all white men who invaded their domain, and old Tom swiftly realized that he was in a bad scrape. He could speak and understood the Comanche dialect with perfect ease, but this fact he kept to himself. As they moved away one of his captors said:

"He is an old hunter, and we shall have a good time burning him. He is probably the leader of the party below."

"We went out after a deer and captured a white man," laughed the one addressed. "Keep your eyes on him, for he is evidently as brave as a bear and as strong as a horse."

The prisoner was conducted about three miles up the river and a mile to the east, at which point a Comanche village was located. It was in a valley about three miles long and a mile wide, and contained sixty or seventy lodges. Nearly all the warriors of the village were away watching the white party, but as soon as the prisoner entered the village a messenger was dispatched to bring them in. Before noon all had returned, and there was great rejoicing over the capture of the hunter. The head chief of the tribe was expected at the camp on the morrow, and it was decided not to do anything with the prisoner until his arrival.

Tom was shoved into a lodge and three warriors placed on guard over him. While they evidently feared him, they at the same time wanted to keep him fresh and strong for the "fun" next day, and they therefore gave him plenty to eat and drink and did not even tie his hands. He realized what was in store for him if he could not make his escape, but any attempt to take French leave with three warriors on guard would have been his death. Every five or six minutes one of them looked into the lodge, and until a late hour of the night the whole populace were on the move and helping to keep watch. All thoughts of attacking the party below were given up for the time being, and every one looked forward to a fine entertainment on the morrow. Tom heard the fiends discussing in what way they should torture him. One of the guards said that he had seen a white man hung up to a limb with a stick thrust through the bones of his legs, as the farmer hangs up a slaughtered hog, and that he lived for half a day. One wanted to skin him alive, another believed in a slow fire, and almost every one who came up had a suggestion to make. It was concluded that he would die game, and that his equal had not been captured for years.

"Seeing there was no chance of escape just then," said Old Tom, "I made up my mind there was no use fretting over the case, and I took things easy. I ate heartily, and about 10 o'clock at night turned in and slept like a brick until after daylight. I intended to take advantage of the very first opening, and I knew that would not come before I was led out in the morning. Where they set out to have a regular holiday over a prisoner, running the gauntlet is always the first thing in order, and it offers the only opportunity to bolt."

**A Great Debt to Science.**

The immense practical value of meteorology has been strikingly shown at Calcutta. The director of the Bengal meteorological department became aware of the existence of a terrible storm in the bay of Bengal five or six days before it reached the land, and gave timely danger signals to keep vessels from leaving the river at Calcutta. One steamer failed to heed the warning, and foundered, with a loss of about 900 lives. Among six or seven vessels kept safely in port were two steamers bound over the same course as the lost vessel, and with about an equal number of passengers, whose escape from death was undoubtedly due to the wisdom of the weather forecasters.—Arkansaw Traveler.

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Taking effect November 1, 1887.

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Daily except Monday, at 2 o'clock.
Vancouver to Victoria.
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LEAVE VICTORIA
For New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island.
Tuesday, at 9 o'clock; Thursday and Sunday at 7 o'clock.
Plumper Pass
Sunday at 7 o'clock.
Leaves New Westminster for Victoria
Monday at 13 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 a.m.
For Plumper Pass.
Monday, at 13 o'clock.
Steamers for Chilliwhack and way landings leave New Westminster every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.
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"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Lot No. 20, Block R. Work Estate, Victoria City.

WHEREAS the Certificate of Title of Joseph G. Halpenny, late of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, to (inter alia) the above mentioned Lot, bearing date the 1st day of May, 1882, has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date thereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
10th February, 1888. fe10 1m

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate and Effects of Joseph Spratt, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THIS ESTATE are required to pay the amounts due forthwith, and all parties who have any claims against the said estate are required to send the same on or before the 2nd day of April, 1888, to Mr. G. W. Haynes, of Messrs. Heisterman & Co., Bastion Square, Victoria, who is authorized to receive and pay all moneys due to and by the said estate.

W. FITZHERBERT BULLEN,
GEO. W. HAYNES,
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Executors.
Dated at Victoria, February 1st, 1888. fe3-3m


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LAND DEPARTMENT.

Notice to Claimants under the "Act Relating to the Island Railway, the Graving Dock and Railway Lands of the Province."

The Company is now prepared to issue Conveyances of Title to all Claimants entitled to the same under the provisions of the above Act, and who have fulfilled the requirements of the British Columbia "Land Act, 1884."

R. DUNSMUIR,
President.
JOHN TRUTCH,
Land Commissioner.
Victoria, B. C., July 25th, 1887. july28

TAKE NOTICE

That an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an Act to amend the Act incorporating the Shuswap & Okanagan Railway Company by extending the time for the commencement and completion of the said railway, and by increasing the amount to which the Company is authorized to issue bonds, and for such other amendments as to Parliament seem fit.
Dated this 1st day of December, 1887.
CAMERON & McPHILLIPS,
Solicitors for the Company.
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NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of unsurveyed, unreserved and unoccupied land described as follows:
Commencing at the Northeast corner of Section 15, Rupert District; thence West 80 chains; thence South 80 chains; thence East 80 chains; thence North 80 chains to point of commencement.
F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.
Victoria, B. C., February 4th, 1888. fe6

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between Richard Hall, William John Goepel, and Louis Garcia Dumbleton has been dissolved from the 31st December, 1887, by mutual consent. Mr. L. G. Dumbleton retires from the firm. The business will be continued by Richard Hall and William John Goepel, under the style of Hall, Goepel & Co. as heretofore, by whom debts due to the partnership will be received and debts due by it will be paid.
HALL, GOEPEL & CO.
Victoria, B. C., 4th February, 1888. fe4 2m


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RAILROAD.
Winter Arrangement.
TIME TABLE No. 5
To take effect at 9:04 a.m. on Thursday, Dec. 1st, 1887.
Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

| Going North (Read Down): No. 2 Passenger Daily | Going North (Read Down): No. 4 Passenger Wed., Sat. and Sunday | STATIONS. | Going South (Read Up): No. 1 Passenger Daily | Going South (Read Up): No. 3 Passenger Wed., Sat. and Sun. |
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| De 9.04 AM | PM | RUSSELL'S, Vic. W. | Ar 1.40 PM | |
| 9.14 | | ESQUIMALT | 1.30 | |
| 9.41 | | GOLDSTREAM | 1.03 | |
| 10.20 | | SHAWNIGAN LAKE | 12.06 PM | |
| 10.45 | | COBBLE HILL | 11.36 | |
| 11.08 | | McPHERSON'S | 11.30 | |
| 11.17 | | KOKSILAH | 11.20 | |
| 11.22 | | DUNCAN'S | [illegible] | |
| 11.34 | | SOMENOS | 11.11 | |
| [illegible] | | CHEMAINUS | 10.[illegible] | |
| Ar 1.00 PM / De 1.00 PM | De 10.00 PM | NANAIMO | De 9.[illegible] / Ar 9.[illegible] | Ar 5.15 PM |
| Ar 1.34 PM | Ar 10.15 PM | WELLINGTON | De 9.[illegible] AM | De 5.00 PM |

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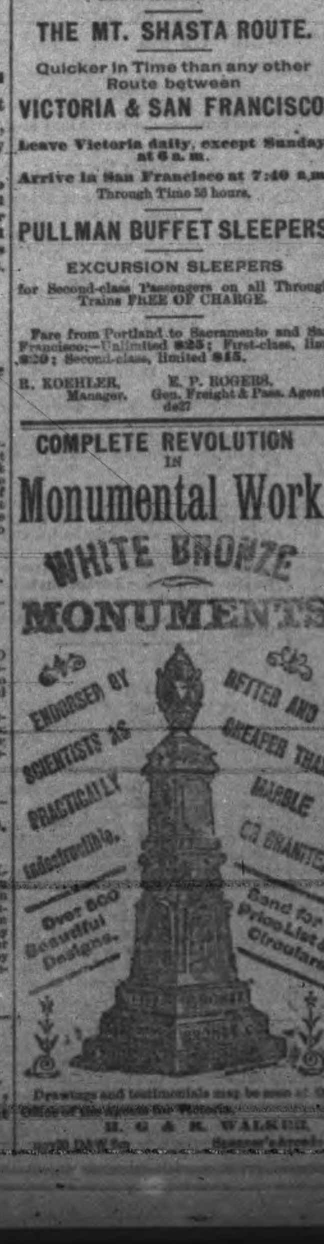

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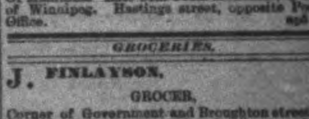
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CLYDE.—In this city, Feb. 12th, 1888, William A. Clyde, aged 29 years and 6 months.

The funeral will leave his late residence, Rock Bay, at 12:30 o'clock, p. m., WEDNESDAY the 15th inst., under the auspices of Victoria Typographical Union, No. 201. All friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

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### Now at Rest.

The remains of the late Elizabeth Ann Ross were interred on Saturday afternoon. The funeral took place from the residence at 2 o'clock and from the R. E. Church at 2:30 o'clock. A large number of friends of the young woman attended.

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Mr. J. H. Hector, who will speak in the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening on "Reminiscences of the Rebellion derived from personal observation," arrived this morning on the Olympian. He is a young man of high intelligence, is an excellent speaker and keen humorist. He will not fail to interest his audience.

### New Opening on Yates Street.

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### The Junior for Lillooet.

A correspondent of the Kamloops *Sentinel* says: Mr. E. Allen has taken his departure from Lillooet, much to the delight of his old-time supporters, who would like to see a more unselfish man in his place. His business in Lillooet, that of hotel and saloon keeper, has not added anything to his popularity and by his meddling interference with others, he has made many enemies. It is to be hoped that he will not exceed his duty while in Victoria, but for once tell the truth in regard to the wants of his constituents.

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### Weddings.

On Saturday evening Mr. L. Dickenson, of Messrs. Rowbotham & Co., Douglas street, was married at the residence of the Catholic clergy, to Miss Mary Hodges. Father J. A. Van Nevel performed the marriage ceremony.

This morning, at the R. C. pro-Cathedral, Mr. Michael Campbell of the West Coast was married to Miss Sarah Murphy by the Rev. Father Van Nevel. Miss Raffarty acted as bridesmaid and Capt. O'Leary was best man. The happy couple proceeded to the residence of Mrs Crowther on Pandora street where a wedding breakfast was partaken of. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell will leave for their future home on the West Coast in a few days.

### Yearly Gems.

The "Yearly Gems" of British Columbia are now ready, at Mrs. R. Maynard's. Ladies who have had their little one's photographs taken at her studio during 1887, and who have not already received one of the Gems, can do so by calling at the photograph studio, Douglas street. *

### A Noble Action.

As two christian ladies were returning home along the railroad track, they discovered the prostrate form a man lying on the track. Unlike the majority of their sex they did not scream and rush back or take a wide turn around and go in search of masculine aid, but courageously aroused and helped the man from his perilous position. Neither did their kindly action stop here. Touched with his sick and "woe-begone" appearance, they directed him to their home and had the gentlemen of the house provide for him over night and send him on his way the next morning, thereby probably saving a man's life and cheating the Coroner out of a job. It will not detract but heighten the beauty of this noble action when we add that the man turned out to be a "tramp."

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## THE COAL INDUSTRY.

### The Outputs of 1886 and 1887 Compared—Large Increase—New Mines.

Mr. James H. Watson, Territorial Inspector of Mines for Washington Territory, supplies the following data regarding the coal output in his jurisdiction for the past two years, which is as follows:

| Mines— | 1886. | 1887. |
|---|---|---|
| Newcastle | 85,075 | 136,475 |
| Franklin | 19,698 | 80,705 |
| Black Diamond | 65,709 | 86,909 |
| Cedar River | 18,298 | 35,898 |
| Carbonado | 144,225 | 173,913 |
| Wilkeson | 588 | 4,000 |
| South Prairie | 54,443 | 62,526 |
| Roslyn | 1,555 | 104,800 |
| Bucoda | 15,000 | ...... |
| Total | 390,082 | 690,212 |

These tons are of 2,240 pounds, reduced to 2,000 pounds. The mines of the Territory yielded in 1886 about 433,000 tons, and, in 1887, 766,000 tons. The extraordinary demand in California and at home was the cause of the no less extraordinary increase of the product in 1887, amounting to 80 per cent. The entire product of the Bucoda and Roslyn mines was consumed in the Territory; but from the other mines upwards of 550,000 tons of coal were shipped to California and Oregon, principally to the port of San Francisco. Several new mines are now being opened, and there is every reason to believe that the output of 1888 will closely approach 1,000,000 tons.

The daily demand for coal in San Francisco is 4,000 tons. In the cold weather these figures are considerably exceeded. For the month of January the total arrivals amounted to 93.942 tons from the following sources:

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|---|---|
| Washington Territory | 35,453 |
| Oregon | 3,550 |
| Australia | 20,983 |
| British Columbia | 18,122 |
| Great Britain | 14,904 |
| New York | 930 |
| Total | 93,942 |

In addition to the above there were received 5,761 tons of coke. Of the 18,122 tons sent from this province Mr. Dunsmuir shipped 8,190 tons; R. D. Chandler, 3,133 tons and the balance by the Vancouver Coal Company. Prices continue to rule high in San Francisco. Messrs. Dunsmuir were unable to furnish the press with any information as to when it was probable they would be shipping again. Their orders for future delivery were approaching 20,000 tons. Vessels were awaiting cargoes under heavy daily damages. Urgent orders for the Canadian Pacific Railway had been refused. It will be some months ere they expect to be able to fill orders or make the output equal to the demand.

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### Ungodly to Wear a Bustle.

A Little Falls, N. Y., dispatch of the 2nd inst., says: On December 5th, last, there was a grand hallelujah wedding in this village, at which Captain Eric Von Alexson and Captain Polly Bryan, of the Salvation Army, were married. They had a big procession parading the streets, preceded by a drum corps, and had a hallelujah time generally. Polly was buxum and fair to look upon, and was altogether the most prepossessing member of the female contingent of the Salvation Army. But Polly is now in disgrace, and the cause of that disgrace is her bustle. Captain Polly being good looking had the common instinct of her sex for dress, and because she refused to discard her bustle she and her husband have been expelled from the army, and that expulsion includes every branch of the army in the United States and Canada. The commander-in-chief writing to her husband on the matter says: "She persisted in wearing a bustle on her back that disgusted every decent person, and I say in sincere godliness I cannot send her to another station."

### Fire at Esquimalt.

At 5:30 o'clock yesterday morning the watchman in the dry dock at Esquimalt, noticed a fire in the International Hotel. The inmates were aroused and the fire alarm sounded in the dock yard. In a few minutes the hotel was enveloped in flames and a gun was fired on board H. M. S. Wild Swan. Boats were lowered from the man-of-war and a detachment of blue jackets proceeded to the dockyard where a steam fire engine is located. The steamer was placed at the rear of Mr. R. Keeler's store and a line of leather hose laid to the fire. The blue jackets worked with a will, and although the hotel was burned to the ground, they fought the fire two hours, saving the surrounding buildings. Mr. Jones, of the Dominion Hotel, in this city, was proprietor of the International. He was unfortunate enough to lose a hotel by fire on the same spot about 15 months ago. Mr. W. Croft, of the Esquimalt Hotel, telephoned to the chief of the fire department that the neighboring buildings were not in danger and that the dockyard engine was at work. Chief Deasy went down and found the fire under control. The blue jackets were working in a commendable manner under the command of an officer of the man-of-war. The building was insured for $4000. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

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### Daily Police Record.

G. M. Hansen did not appear before Judge Harrison when a charge of being drunk was called, and his bail was estreated.

George Eaton, on a similar charge, also forfeited his bail.

Yip Chong and Ah Sam, charged with attempting to bribe a police officer. Mr. Taylor appeared for the defense.

Officer Robb, sworn—On the night of Feb. 7th was in defendant's house on Fisgard street, arresting the inmates for keeping a house of prostitution. The two defendants took witness into a back room and offered $50 to take no further proceedings.

To Supt. Bloomfield—I had the females under arrest, and they were brought before the Court and convicted.

To Mr. Taylor—Ah Sam is a woman; she said something to the man in Chinese and said in English that the Chinaman "no savee" but would give $50 if witness "no tell Bloomfield." The Chinaman wanted to give bail for the appearance of the women in the morning. The man said, previous to entering the room, that he would give bail and would give the amount of the usual fine. In the room they commenced talking confidentially.

To the Court—When we first went into the house they knew me, and commenced screaming; one of the girls ran to the woman prisoner and another got into the passage; Officer Redgrave brought one girl back; they were screaming loudly and would not be pacified; the man defendant got excited and said considerable about bringing Mr. Bloomfield to the house; told them not to keep up the excitement, because they must go to the police station; the man then spoke of putting up the amount of the fine as bail; just then one of the girls got under a bed and we were getting ready to take them away when they called me into a room, and the woman spoke to the Chinaman in Chinese and said she would give him $50 if the case was dropped. Witness said too many Chinese knew about the case, and they all went out of the room. The man seemed more anxious to give me $50 than the woman; we did not accept the money and arrested the women.

Officer H. Redgrave, sworn—About 11 o'clock on the night of the 7th was on duty on Fisgard street, went into a house of ill fame to arrest the inmates; after arresting them Yip Chong, the Chinaman offered me $50 to let them go; told him no, and he then asked how much we wanted; we then brought them to gaol.

To Mr. Taylor—Mr. Robb was present in the house and there was considerable excitement.

To the Court—He offered the money several times; he spoke broken English and said he was a business man and would give bonds; he offered $50 and I shrugged my shoulders and $1,000 would not do, and it was more than my place was worth to take the money. After that he offered me the $50 to let him go, and repeated the offer several times. We were in the house about twenty minutes; there were about fifty Chinaman outside the house.

Mr. Taylor made a good speech in defense of the prisoners, contending that the defendants thought bail could be accepted by the officers and in their state of excitement made the offer, which was intended for bail.

The defendants were committed for trial at the next assizes.

## ONE MORE UNFORTUNATE.

### A Victoria Women Driven to Desperation by Drink, Commits Suicide.

Sometime during Friday night, says the *Post-Intelligencer*, a young woman entered a saloon on South Third street, Seattle, and, after asking the few men who were in the barroom up to take a drink, stepped into a back room. The men supposed she had gone out the back door, but a few minutes later one of them stepped back to look after her and found her in a dying condition. Physicians were sent for but too late to save her life. In her stocking was found a vial of laudanum, one-third of which had evidently been taken by the poor unfortunate. But little is known of the woman, although she worked as a servant in a number of families in this city during the past year or so. A gentleman who was acquainted with her stated that she went to Victoria as a servant in a family in 1881, and soon after married a man named Smith, of Swan Lake. They lived very unhappily, and finally separated, her two children being taken by Smith's mother. She then came to the Sound and worked in a lodging house at Tacoma and in several private families in Seattle. Afterwards she went to Snohomish, where she remained till a few days ago. To drown her troubles she took to drink, and for several months has drank very heavily. On Friday she was seen in a hack with another woman driving about the town, and while in the hack it is supposed she took the fatal dose. She was known by the name of Annie O'Neil, and had lodgings on Washington street. When it became known that she was dead and penniless, her fallen sisters raised a sufficient sum of money to give her a respectable burial.

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### Ever Onward.

Dr. David L. Chalmers, Ph. D. Heidelberger Universitaet, Bes L., Academie des Beaux Arts, Paris, has been permanently engaged as instructor at the Victoria Business College. *

### Bogus Currency.

John Howard, says the *Sentinel*, has been arrested for passing a large amount of Commercial Bank bills. He purchased in the vicinity of Ashcroft 155 head of cattle, paying therefor wholly in those bills. The cars of cattle where shipped without suspicion when a blockade occurred and Howard began to sell the remainder of his stock at $15 per head. This aroused enquiry and led to his arrest. Mr. Fred Hussey, Government Agent, Kamloops, was sent for and has been busy working up the case for some days. Mr. Cochrane has been retained for the defence.

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### Forthcoming Entertainments.

The German Leiderkranz will hold a sociable at Harmony Hall this evening. Tickets admitting gentleman and ladies can be procured from members and at the door. During the evening the Leiderkranz will sing several fine choruses.

Church of England Temperance Society will hold their regular monthly meeting and entertainment to-night in the Cathedral school-room.

Major R. H. Hendershot, the Drummer Boy of the Rappahannock, arrived this morning and will give an exhibition at Philharmonic Hall this evening in conjunction with an entertaiment under the auspices of St. Joseph's Social and Literary Club. The entertainment will be repeated on Tuesday evening.

Rev. J. H. Hector, the popular colored lecturer of the South, will give a lecture in the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening on Reminiscences of the Rebellion from personal observation.

On Tuesday evening a first-class concert will be given by the combined Temperance Societies. The concert will be held in Temperance Hall, Pandora street, commencing at 8 o'clock. The best local talent has been secured and a most enjoyable time is promised by the promoters of the concert.

Prof. Oliver will give a Valentine Social Dance at his Dancing Academy in Denny's building, Broad street, on Tuesday evening. Lovers of the light fantastic should not fail to attend the social.

A musical and dramatic entertainment in aid of the building fund of the Cedar Hill Church will be given in the Cathedral school-room on Tuesday evening.

The ladies of Saanich will give a Leap Year Ball in the Agricultural Hall on the 29th inst.

A ball was held at Quamichan on Friday evening. The ball was declared a success by all present.

On Saturday evening the proprietors of the Russ House on Johnson street gave a social dance.

—VALENTINES—T. N. Hibben & Co. *

### Passengers Arriving.

Per the Olympian from the Sound to-day: G C Henry, A Bellinger, G Mendith, E Saunders, T Boonte, D Coffey and wife, J M Duval, John Service and wife, R H Hendershot and Son, W Walker, Mrs Alger, A Jones, G T Mills and wife, Rev J Huton, Mrs Toombs, E Knapp, C Sanford, J Campbell, T J Dampsey, A Wickesham, E Martin, J L Mudge, W Sparling, J Munson, F Chambers.

By str. Princess Louise from Vancouver:—F A Hewsen, C Carlson, J Smith, C H Godfrey, C W Hoffman, E B Bosbelt, H Baker, R Anderson, W A Ward, R H Benedict, Mrs W F Bullen, J Carter, C Stallard, W Munroe, C S Baxter, W J Roper, C B Sword, J Forter, Miss May Williams, S Reiner, W F Bullen, Capt Ettershanks, J S McGhie, J Young, J R Greaves, J M Henderson, Judge McCreight, E S Paulin, C D Rand, A Mann, one Jap.

### Consignees.

Per the Olympian from the Sound to-day:—J Holmes, J Gray.

Per steamer Newborn from San Francisco:—Anderson Bros & Co, A Bossi & Co, Albion Iron Works, A & W Wilson, A Lawrence, Angus & Gordon, A Barker, Vancouver; Brackman & Ker, Carne and Munsie, Cunningham & McM, Vancouver; British Columbia F Co, Essington; Brown Bros, Boucherat & Co, Cherry & Creech, E B Marvin, E G Prior, Esberg Backman & Co, E Harrison E Ross & Co, Ellis & Co, Fell & Co, Gowan & Co, Hudson Bay Co, H Mansell, H A Lilley, Henry Short, Hong Me Tong, H Saunders, I C Nicholson, Jay & Co, J D Cowie, Jno Barnsley, J C Devlin, J Canning, Vancouver; J B Blake, Vancouver; J & A Clearihue, Kwong Chung, James Harvey, Lowen & Erb, Mathews Richards & T, McKillican & Anderson, Mrs E Frank, McDonald & Co, Moore & Co, Neufelder & Ross, Nicholls & Renouf, P McQuade & Co, P C Brown, Vancouver; Ogle Campbell, New Westminster; P T Johnson & Co, Ralph Borthwick, R V Winch, Vancouver; R Baker & Co, S Leiser & Co, S J Pitts, S McTinch, Spratt & Gray, T N Hibben & Co, Thos Earle, Vale & Fargo & Co, W Heathorn, W H Brooks, Wells Fargo & Co, W Kamloops, Calgary; W Eckart, Welch Rithet & Co, Wah Chong, W J Tyson, Tuen Long.

—To-morrow will be pan-cake day.

—A communication of S. and several articles on local topics have been crowded out to-day.

—Lent will commence on Wednesday next and the usual lenten service will be held in several of the churches.

—A large oak tree opposite Mr. Lubbe's residence on Quadra street was blown down by the high wind last night.

—There is evidently something seriously wrong with the mail communication between here and the south. Letters take an unaccountable time travelling between California and Victoria. A gentleman in this city received a letter to-day 18 days from Southern California, which is just a trifle too slow.


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## NEW TO-DAY.

### Creditors' Notice.

THE CREDITORS OF MR. T. CUDLIP, Hack Driver, are requested to meet at Mr. Pooley's office, Bastion Street, at 4 o'clock on Tuesday, the 14th inst.

L. GOODACRE.
W. GRIMM.

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### To Ship Carpenters.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED on behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, until noon of Saturday next, the 18th February, instant, for the construction of Three Coaling Lighters, according to the drawing and specification at this office.

Tenders to be marked "Coaling Lighters."

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES H. INNES.
Naval Storekeeper.

Naval Yard, Esquimalt, 13th February, 1888. fe13

### MRS. : HENDERSON, LADIES' NURSE,

Has removed to Quadra Street, between Pandora and Johnson Streets, and

**Is Prepared to Receive Calls**

From Ladies requiring her services.

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### A Card of Thanks.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, RESIDENTS of Esquimalt, desire to tender to Capt. Van Koughnet, the Officers and men of H. M. S. Wild Swan, and to J. H. Innes, Esq., and the Officers and men of H. M. Naval Yard, our most sincere and hearty thanks for the most valuable services rendered by them on the occasion of the fire on the 12th inst., by which the International Hotel was entirely destroyed; and who by their exertions saved the whole of the surrounding buildings, containing valuable stock, etc., from total destruction.

RICHARD KEELER, A. C. MUIR, WM. ROTHWELL, JAMES JOHNSON.
HARRY HARRIS, WM. CROFT, C. P. FISHER, J. T. PEARCE.

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### PACIFIC COAST S. S. COM'Y

DISPATCH A STEAMER

*Every Saturday for San Francisco*

Leaving the outer wharf at One o'clock p.m.

**Newbern, - - Feb. 18.**

Shippers must notify us when room for freight is required.

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# A PIECE OF ART.

A HANDSOME

## Sideboard and Show Case,

—CONTAINING—

## 73 NATIVE BIRDS,

ON EXHIBITION AT THE

## JUBILEE SALOON,

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**The Finest Piece of Work**

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### G. BYRNES, AUCTIONEER.

## AUCTION.

## OFFICE FURNITURE

AND TAYLOR'S SAFES

☞ DOMINION GOVERNMENT PROPERTY. ☜

*Monday, 20th February, 11 A. M.*

I have been instructed by the Hon. J. W. Trutch, Dominion Government Agent, to sell at the Office, corner of Government and Fort Sts., Victoria.

**2 Large Fire-Proof Safes,**

by Taylor—inside measurement 4 ft. 2 in. by 2 ft. 2 in., 17 ins. deep, suitable for Bankers, Merchants or Lawyers.

**Also, all the Office Furniture.**

Map Racks, Drafting Trestles, Carpets, Chairs, Revolving Office Chairs, Copying Presses, Stoves and Pipes, Large Walnut Office Table, Pigeon Holes, Walnut Book Case and Desk, Safe, Washstand, Gas Fixtures, Mirror, Clocks, Weights, Inkstands, etc., etc.

GEO. BYRNES, Auctioneer.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Our Great and Successful Boot and Shoe Sale now on. Ladies' Hand Turned French Kid Shoes, $2.50 per pair, worth $7.00. All other Boots and Shoes at equally low figures.

RUSSELL, McDONALD & CO.,
Cheap Variety Store, Masonic Building,
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# JOHN WEILER,

## Manufacturer and Importer,

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The Most Complete and Largest Stock of House Furnishing Goods in the Province can be seen at his Warerooms, at PRICES AS LOW AS ANY.

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The Trade supplied at Lowest Rates. Samples and Prices on application.

**Warerooms, 206 Fort Street, Factory, Humboldt Street,** VICTORIA, B. C.

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### NOTICE.

THE COMPETITIVE DESIGNS FOR THE Royal Provincial Jubilee Hospital may be inspected at the office of the Hon. Jos. Trutch, on Government Street, any day between the hours of 1 and 4 p. m., up to Wednesday, the 15th instant.

By order of the Building Committee.

Feb. 8th, 1888. fe9

## MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED up to Wednesday, the 15th inst., at 4 o'clock, p. m.,

For Constructing Brick Culvert on McClure Street, at head of James Bay Flats.

Specifications can be seen daily at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
City Clerk.

City Hall, 7th February, 1888. fe9

### A Lecture on Good Dinners

May be a very fine thing to hear, but to realize the fact go to

## W. T. SAUNDERS'

—CORNER OF—

Herald and Government Sts., VICTORIA.

**5 Meal Tickets for $1.00.**

Board and Lodging, $5.00 per week; Board, $4.00.

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1888. 1888.

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SEND POSTAL CARD FOR STEVES' SEED Annual. The best Seeds in the Market.

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## WOOD! : WOOD!

**For Sale at Current Prices.**

ALL ORDERS LEFT AT THE Scotch Bakery, Douglas Street, or at J. Finlayson's Grocery Store, corner Government and Broughton Streets, will be promptly filled.

fe9 A. C. HOWE.

### Notice of Dissolution.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE FIRM of Anderson & Hastie, Furniture Dealers, Fort Street, has been dissolved this day by mutual consent. R. A. Anderson retiring and James Hastie continuing the business.

R. A. ANDERSON,
JAMES HASTIE.

Victoria, Feb. 8, 1888. fe8 tf

### Vancouver City, B. C.

FOR SALE—On good terms. The Gold House, situate on principal street and commanding magnificent view of harbor. Largest and best furnished hotel, with large Sample and Ball Rooms. Cause for selling ill health.

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### G. BYRNES, AUCTIONEER.

## AUCTION.

STOCK-IN-TRADE OF

## JEWELRY, ETC.

**On Thursday, 16th Feb., 11 A. M.**

I have been instructed by DASSONVILLE & CO. to sell by Auction,

**On the Premises, Government St.**

All their Stock-in-Trade of Watches, Jewelry, Etc., on account of their closing out of business, consisting of a fine stock of

**WALTHAM SILVER WATCHES,**

Gold Watches, Ladies' Gold Opera Chains, Gents' Gold and Silver Chains, Ladies' Gold Neck Chains, Ladies' Gold Bracelets and Bangles, Gold and Diamond Sets, Lockets, Ladies' and Gents, Gold and Silver Charms, Ladies' Brooches,

**Gold, Silver and Diamond Earrings,**

Ladies' and Gents' Gold Rings, Scarf Pins, Emblems Pins, Gents' Shirt Studs, Baby Pins, Sleeve Buttons, Earrings, Opera Glasses, Ivory Handle Dinner Knives and Carving Sets, Dessert Knives in case, Silver and Plated Spoons, Bronze Ornaments, Plate Ware, Soup Tureens, Cruets, Egg Stands.

**TEA AND COFFEE POTS,**

Silver Goblets, Salver, Large Assortment of Spectacles and Peebles, Large Assortment of Pendulum and Marine Clocks, Lot of Show Cases, and Counters.

**A Fine Plate Ware Show Case,**

Mirror, Tilton & McFarlane Safe, inside 2 ft. 6 in. high, 1 ft. 10 in. wide by 12 ins. deep, Stoves and Piping, Watch Glasses and Watch Material, Assayer's Stove.

GEO. BYRNES,
Auctioneer.

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A MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC

## ENTERTAINMENT!

Will be given in the Cathedral School, Church Hill.

**On Tuesday, Feb'y 14th, at 8 P. M.**

Proceeds in aid of St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill. Admission, 50 Cts. fe11

# A Treat for Victoria!

TWO GRAND ENTERTAINMENTS.

**February 13th and 14th, 1888,**

—GIVEN BY—

## Major R. H. Hendershot,

**The Drummer Boy of the Rappahannock,**

**And a Galaxy of Local Talent,**

Under the auspices of the

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**ADMISSION, 50cts.** Reserved Seats at Lombard & Co.'s. fe8 1w

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## German Leiderkranz!

MONDAY, FEB. 13th,

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**HARMONY HALL, VIEW ST.**

Tickets for Gentleman and Ladies, $1. Between the dances the Leiderkranz will sing several fine songs. feb6

# CONCERT!

The Temperance Societies have combined to give a

## First-class : Concert

—ON—

**Tuesday, the 14th inst.,**

—IN—

## Temperance Hall, Pandora Street,

**Commencing at 8 o'clock.**

OBJECT—To remove the debt on Hall.

The best local talent, vocal and instrumental, has been secured, and everything is being done to make it the rarest treat of the season.

fe7 **ADMISSION, 50 CTS.**

# LEAP YEAR BALL!

A Leap Year Ball, under the auspices of the Ladies of Saanich, will be held in the

## Agricultural Hall, South Saanich,

—ON—

**Wednesday Ev'ng, Feb. 29.**

TICKETS.

**Admitting Lady & Gentleman, $2.00.**

The proceeds of the Ball are to be applied in aid of liquidating the debt incurred in enlarging Agricultural Hall.

Parties with conveyances will please hand their wraps and whips to the lady appointed to take charge of those for safe keeping.

fe11 dw td By order of the Committee.


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